

ABSTRACT

Public Servants – RWS&S Department – Allegations of possession of Disproportionate Assets to the known sources of income against Sri Manjala Rajendra Prasad, Work Inspector, RWS, Kurnool – Sanction of prosecution under Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 – Orders – Issued.

PANCHAYAT RAJ & RURAL DEVELOPMENT(VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No. 19

Date:19.1.2011.

ORDER:

1. Whereas, Sri M. Rajendra Prasad, S/o. M. Ramudu joined Government service on 13.12.1986 as Gang Mazdoor in RWS, Kurnool, on promotion as Work inspector Grade IV on 15.06.1988, he worked in RWS, Kurnool from 01-02-2005 to 24-12-2008. By virtue of the post held by him, he falls under the category of Public Servant as defined under section 2© of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988.

2. And Whereas, on credible information that Sri M. Rajendra Prasad, Work Inspector, RWS, Kurnool, indulged in corrupt practices and by dubious means acquired movable/immovable properties in his name and in the names of his family members, a case in Cr.No.17/RCA-KUR/2008 U/s 13(1)(e) r/w 13(2) of P.C.Act, 1988 of ACB Kurnool Range, Kurnool was registered on 22.12.2008 and investigated into as per the proceedings in Rc.No.60/ACB-JD@/2008 dt.17.12.2008. During the course of investigation and in pursuance of search Warrants obtained from the Hon'ble Addl. Spl. Judge for SPE & ACB cases at Hyderabad, searches were conducted on 24.12.2008 at the following places:-

1. The residential house of Sri M. Rajendra Prasad, bearing Door No.2-20-2, Srinivasa Nagar, Stantanpuram, Kurnool.
2. The residential house of Sri M.V. Ramana, Ex-Corporator, Kurnool(Co-brother-of-A.O) bearing Door No.49/50-A-546, Sree Ran Nagar, Kurnool.
3. The Office of Sri M. Rajendra Prasad in Zilla Parishath premises.

During the searches, incriminating documents pertaining to the Assets, income and expenditure were recovered and seized and the house hold articles and gold jewellery was seized in the presence of mediators.

3. And Whereas the Check period is taken from 13.12.1986 to 24.12.2008 for the purpose of investigation.

4. And Whereas, the investigation revealed that Sri M. Rajendra Prasad acquired assets in the shape of movable and immovable properties and deposits in banks etc., in his name, in the name of his wife, daughters and sons, to the tune of Rs.64,45,030/- (Rupees Sixty four Lakhs forty five thousand and thirty only) as on the terminal date of check period.

The total income of Sri M. Rajendra Prasad, from all his known sources, during the period from 13.12.1986 to 24.12.2008 is arrived at Rs.24,29,018/-(Rupees Twenty four Lakhs Twenty nine thousand and Eighteen only).

His total Expenditure during the said period i.e., from 13.12.1986 to 24.12.2008 is estimated at Rs.98,24,180/-(Rupees Ninety Eight Lakhs twenty four thousand one hundred and eighty only).

Sri M. Rajendra Prasad has a likely saving of (-) Rs.73,95,162/- (Rupees Seventy three lakhs ninety five thousand one hundred and sixty two only) that is excess expenditure of Rs.73,95,162/- beyond his income as on the terminal date of check period. As against the likely savings of (-) Rs.73,95,162/-. Sri M. Rajendra Prasad is found in possession of the assets to an extent of Rs.64,45,030/, thus disproportionate to his known sources of income to a tune of Rs.1,38,40,192/-(Rs.64,45,030/- + Rs.73,95,162/-) for which he could not satisfactorily account for.

5. And Whereas, the above acts of Sri M. Rajendra Prasad, Work Inspector, RWS, Kurnool constitute an offence punishable under clause (e) of Sub section (1) of Sec.13 r/w of section 13(2) of Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988(Central Act 49 of 1988).

6. And whereas, the Government of Andhra Pradesh, being the competent authority to remove him service after fully and carefully examining the material placed before them in respect of the above said allegation and having regard to the facts and circumstances of the case consider that the said Sri Manjala Rajendra Prasad, Work Inspector, RWS, Kurnool should be prosecuted in a court of law for the above said offences;

7. Now, therefore in exercise of the powers conferred under clause (b) of sub-section (1) of section 19 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 (Act 49 of 1988), the Government of Andhra Pradesh hereby accord sanction for the prosecution of the said Sri M. Rajendra Prasad, Work Inspector, RWS, Kurnool, for the afore said offences punishable under clause (e) of sub section (1) of section 13 read with section (2) of clause (1) of section 13 of the Prevention of Corruption Act, 1988 and for any other cognate offences punishable under any other provisions of law for the time being in force in respect of the above said offences by a court competent jurisdiction.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

CHITRA RAMCHANDRAN,
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT(RWS&S).

To
The Director General,
Anti Corruption Bureau,
Andhra Pradesh,
HYDERABAD.